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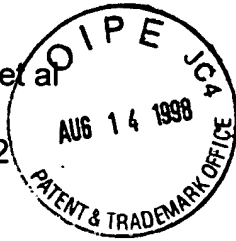
In re application of:

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For: A NEW PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF POTASSIUM HYDROXY CITRIC ACID, AND COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THE POTASSIUM HYDROXY CITRIC ACID

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

August 14, 1998

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 5, 1998 for two months from August 5, 1998 to September 5, 1998.

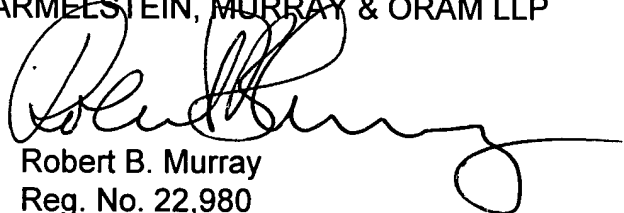
A check in the amount of Fifty Five Dollars (\$55) to cover the cost of the extension fee is enclosed. In the event that the check is not attached or any fees are otherwise required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 14-1060.

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